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Mail Stop Amendment
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Re: Inventors: Robert A. Brodersen; Prashant Chatterjee; Peter S. Lim
Assignee: Siebel Systems, Inc.
Title: PARTIALLY REPLICATED DISTRIBUTED DATABASE WITH
MUTIPLE LEVELS OF REMOTE CLIENTS
Application No.: 10/817,658
Filing Date: April 2, 2004
Group Art Unit: 2167
Examiner: Cheryl Renea Lewis
Attorney Docket No.: OIC0134C4US

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page, in duplicate)
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (7 pages)

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Total Claims	12	Minus	20	=	0	x \$50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	4	Minus	4	=	0	x \$200.00	\$ 0.00
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated August 8, 2006, having a shortened statutory response period expiring on November 8, 2006. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the remarks set forth below.

No amendments are presented in this paper.

For the convenience of the Examiner, a **Listing of the Claims** is presented starting on **page 2**.

Remarks begin on **page 6** of this paper.